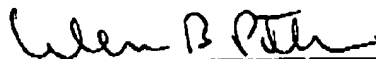


REMARKS

Claims 1-3, 5-9, 11-12, and 14-27 remain pending in the application after entry of this amendment. Claim 25 has been amended to remove redundant grammar.

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